GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PS – PR&RD – Allegation of not to pay proper attention before the 2nd QC Inspection Team on 17.05.2020 in work "Construction of Internal CC Road at Saibaba Gudi to Ramalayam in Apparaopalem of Atmakur (M), Nellore District - CC.No.260/2022 in WP.No.25294/2021 which leads to huge embarrassment to the Government - Legal complications- Disciplinary proceedings against Sri R. Tirumalaiah, Former AE, MPP, Atmakuru (M), Nellore District & 2 others – Common proceedings under Rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A)Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.515. **Dated:29-06-2022.**
Read the following:-

1) First QC Inspection Report, dated:08.07.2019.
2) Second QC Inspection Report, dated:17.05.2020.
3) Orders of High Court of A.P, dated:02.11.2021 in W.P.No.25294 of 2021 filed by Sri Navineni Bhaskar Rao, R/o Apparaopalem Village, Nellore District.
4) Notice in Contempt Case No.260/2022 filed by Sri Navineni Bhaskar Rao, R/o Apparaopalem Village, Nellore District.

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ORDER:

Whereas, the Government Servants specified below are jointly concerned in a disciplinary case regarding allegation of not to pay proper attention before the 2nd QC Inspection Team on 17.05.2020 in work "Construction of Internal CC Road at Saibaba Gudi to Ramalayam in Apparaopalem of Atmakur (M), Nellore District, which leads to file CC.No.260/2022 in WP.No.25294/2021 which leads to huge embarrassment to the Government. As per quality control norms and procedures, the 1st Quality Control Inspection was conducted on 08.07.2019 in this work i.e., I.D.No.097071221019080038 and no recovery is proposed. At that time Sri R. Tirumalaiah, Former AE, MPP, Atmakuru, Sri K.V. Srinivasa Rao, Former DEE, Atmakuru & Sri P. Maheswaraiah, Former EE, PRI Nellore were the concerned officials during the inspecting time. The 1st QC report was intimated to the concerned AEE, DEE & EE. Subsequently, as per the orders, 2nd QC inspection team has attended the above work on 17.05.2020 and conducted inspection. The first QC Team has proposed no recovery against the work, whereas the 2nd QC Team Report has proposed for recovery of Rs.11,68,592/- of work. On close observation, it is noticed that when 2nd QC Team inspected the work, the concerned AEE/AE, DEE & EE have not brought the report of the 1st QC to the notice of 2nd QC Team at the time of inspection to facilitate them to understand said report and its findings. Despite having information on hand, the AEE/AE, DEE & EE have failed to bring to the notice of 2nd QC Team about the 1st QC Report on the work. Thereby, unnecessary complications and legal issues have been aroused and huge embarrassment was created in dealing with legal issues. The concerned AEE/AE, DEE & EE should have taken proper care at the time of visit of 2nd Inspection Team and failed to bring the connected records including QC reports to the concerned authorities. This has caused huge embarrassment to the Government.

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(1) Sri R. Tirumalaiah, Former, AE, MPP, Atmakuru (M), Nellore District.
(2) Sri K.V. Srinivasa Rao, Former DEE, PRI Sub-Division, Atmakuru, Nellore District.
(3) Sri P. Maheswaraiah, Former EE, PR Division, Nellore.

2. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rules (1) and (2) of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, the disciplinary authority i.e., Government hereby direct:-

(i) that disciplinary action against the said Government Servants shall be taken in the common proceedings;

(i) **that Government shall function as the disciplinary authority for the purpose of the common proceedings and shall be competent to impose any penalty; and**

(ii) that the procedure prescribed in Rules 20 & 21 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal)Rules, 1991 shall be followed in the said proceedings.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
(1) Sri R. Tirumalaiah, Former, AE, MPP, Atmakuru (M), Nellore District.
(2) Sri K.V. Srinivasa Rao, Former DEE, PRI Sub-Division, Atmakuru, Nellore District.
(3) Sri P. Maheswaraiah, Former EE, PR Division, Nellore.
(1 to 3 through ENC, PR, Vijayawada)
The Engineer-in-Chief, PR, Vijayawada (in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:
The PR&RD(Estt.I) Department.
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DISPATCHED Signature DT. 1/7/22 PR & RD (IOC) DEPT.

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